



7 JAN 00 BENNING BULLETIN NO. 1



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1. GRADUATION:

UNIT	DATE/TIME	LOCATION	GUEST SPEAKER	POC
OCS Senior Status Review, Class 1-00	19 Jan, 1500	York Field		IOC Sanchez, 545-9174

2. FIELD OFFICER OF THE DAY/STAFF DUTY OFFICER:

FOD duty is at IN Hall (Rm 650): weekdays, 1600; weekend/holiday, 1600 last duty day; payday activities, 1130.

SDO duty is at IN Hall, EOC Rm W-87, then to Rm 111, weekdays, 1500; weekend/holiday, 1500 last duty day; payday activities, 1200.

DATE	FOD/SDO NAME	ORGANIZATION	PHONE
*8 Jan 00	LTC Rollinson, S.	RTB	544-7282
*8 Jan 00	CPT Manns, Ty	11 th IN Regt	545-6509
*9 Jan 00	MAJ Smith, S.	3/3 ID	544-2507
*9 Jan 00	CPT Melendez, J.	3/3 ID	544-2407
10 Jan 00	MAJ Flohr, D.	RTB	544-7282
10 Jan 00	CPT Tyson, R.	11 th IN Regt	545-6399
11 Jan 00	MAJ Noyles, B.	11 th IN Regt	545-9079
11 Jan 00	CPT Hanley, T.	11 th IN Regt	545-9189
12 Jan 00	MAJ Pollock, A.	3/3 ID	544-2507
12 Jan 00	CPT Washington, R.	3/3 ID	544-2507
13 Jan 00	MAJ Sawyer, G.	11 th IN Regt	545-6017
13 Jan 00	CPT Neitzel, R.	RTB	544-7282
14 Jan 00	MAJ Womack, J.	11 th IN Regt	545-4363
14 Jan 00	CPT Schwedo, E.	11 th IN Regt	545-4334

* INDICATES WEEKEND/HOLIDAY DUTIES

POC is SPC Santillanez, 545-5127.

3. STAFF DUTY CHAPLAIN: The Staff Duty Chaplain can be reached for emergencies during non-duty hours through the Staff Duty Officer, Infantry Hall, 545-2218.

4. MILITARY POLICE: Official emergency telephone numbers for the Fort Benning MP Desk (911, 545-5222/3/4) are recorded for accuracy of record purposes (AR 190-30). POC is CPT Sides/MSG Jones, Law Enforcement Division, 545-4376.

5. TORNADO SIREN TEST: The installation will test the Tornado Siren System Saturday at 1200. The test will not occur in the event of bad weather. POC is Ms. Wade, DTS, 545-1711.

6. UNAUTHORIZED HANDLING OF DUD AMMUNITION: All ranges and training areas on the Fort Benning installation are particularly dangerous due to unexploded ammunitions. Persons who enter areas are in extreme danger, especially children, who are naturally curious and will pick up a harmless looking object, unaware of the danger in which they placed themselves. Sometimes merely walking in the area of dud ammunition will produce sufficient vibration to release the firing mechanism causing the shell to explode. Prevention instruction and adherence to safety regulations will help avoid the misery and grief accompanying an injury or death for dud ammunition accidents. Fort Benning ranges and training areas are off limits to all unauthorized personnel. POC is Range Division, 545-1602.

7. OFF LIMITS ESTABLISHMENTS AND AREAS: Commanders and Soldiers assigned to Fort Benning are reminded that IAW USAIC Suppl 1 to AR 190-24, 21 Mar 97 the addresses and/or establishments listed below have been placed off limits by the Armed Forces Disciplinary Control Board to all military personnel within the Fort Benning area, which includes Warner Robbins Air Logistic Base, Marietta, GA; Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AL; Marine Corps Logistics Base, Albany, GA; and the U.S. Naval Reserve Center, Columbus, GA.

a. CLINCHFIELD, GA: The Pen Dixie Pit, Old Perry Road.

b. COLUMBUS, GA: All Breed Dog Training Academy, 1302 Sandusky Drive; Mr. Transmission, 3137 Macon Road. POC is SFC Downs, 545-5915.

8. DA OCS SELECTION BOARDS: The Army has approved an increase in the number of soldiers who may attend Officer Candidate School (OCS). In order to accommodate this increase in the number of Soldiers DA may select to attend OCS, it is necessary to once again revise the HQDA OCS board schedule. The revised HQDA OCS board schedule is as follows:

a. **Board Two**, 3-7 Apr 00: Applications are due at PERSCOM NLT 3 Mar 00. Applications must be received by PSRD, Soldier's Plaza NLT 21 Jan 00. Fort Benning (Local Board) is from 31 Jan-4 Feb 00.

b. **Board Three**, 12-16 Jun 00: Applications are due at PERSCOM NLT 12 May 00. Applications must be received by PSRD NLT 24 Mar 00. Fort Benning (Local Board) is from 3-7 Apr 00.

c. **Board Four**, 11-15 Sep 00: Applications are due at PERSCOM NLT 11 Aug 00. Applications must be received by PSRD NLT 23 Jun 00. Fort Benning (Local Board) is from 5-11 Jul 00. POC: Mrs. Clemons, 545-4702/3341.

9. SPECIAL FORCES RECRUITING: Special Forces is looking for professional enlisted and officer volunteers. If you are an enlisted Soldier with the rank SPC through SFC and a GT score of 100 or higher, or you are a commissioned officer in year group 1994 through 1997, you may apply for Special Forces training. Are you up to a challenge of a lifetime? If so, you can be trained as a member of an A-Team! If you are a person who can accomplish the mission when others can't or won't, then Special Forces is for you. The time to act is now. Volunteer now and become one of America's most elite Soldiers. For more information on Special Forces, access the web page at: www-benning.army.mil/fbhome/SForce/index.html or contact your Special Forces Recruiting Team at (706) 545-3079 or DSN 835-3079. CPT Jarzen, SFC Wilson or SFC Nichols will answer all questions. POC is CPT Jarzen, Special Forces Recruiting Team, 545-3079.

10. DA SELECTION BOARD: A DA Selection Board is scheduled to convene on 1 Feb 00 to consider Soldiers for promotion to MSG. The board will also review records for possible elimination under the Qualitative Management Program (QMP).

a. Eligibility criteria for promotion consideration to MSG: All SFC with a DOR of 31 Jul 97 and earlier with a BASD between 31 Jan 79 and 31 Jan 92 (both dates inclusive).

b. Eligibility criteria for QMP: SFC with a DOR 31 Jan 99 and earlier and a BASD of 31 Jan 79 or later.

c. PQRs (DA Form 2-1/ERB) are not required for SFC with DOR of 1 AUG 97 through 28 Feb 99.

To schedule an appointment call AG Personnel Services Branch, 545-8861/5640/2872. POC is Tonya Ridley, 545-8861.

11. RECLAMATION CLOTHING SALE: The Reclamation Clothing Sale will be held on Friday, 7 Jan, 1000-1400, Bldg 224. Sale items will be priced to 25 percent of acquisition cost rounded up to the nearest dollar. Each customer will be limited to \$150.00 total purchase. Payments will be accepted in the form of cash or personal checks. Persons authorized to purchase personal clothing at the sale include all active duty personnel of all branches of the Armed Forces. Sales to retired members of the Armed Forces are limited to Class A uniforms (including accessories) and dress shoes. Proper identification is required. POC is Mr. Wimmer, 545-1972.

12. RECRUIT THE RECRUITER TEAM: The Recruit the Recruiter Team will visit Fort Benning, 24-27 Jan 00. The team will present information and accept applications for those that are interested.

Briefings will be conducted at Bldg 4, CR #25, 0900-1100 and 1300-1500 daily, except on 25 Jan, the briefing will be conducted in CR 9. Further information may be obtained by contacting MSG Capel, 545-8771.

13. INSTALLATION MENU BOARD MEETING: The Installation Menu Board Meeting will be held Thursday, 27 Jan, at the Cook School, Bldg 2760, at 0900. Attendance of all unit Food Advisors and/or representative from all Food service activities is required. Food Advisors are encouraged to bring enlisted diners from their command to the Menu Board Meeting. POC is Mr. Hilton, 545-3750/7970.

14. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. USAIC BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT: Come out and participate in the Martin Luther King, Jr. USAIC Basketball Tournament. The tournament will be held 10-14 Jan 00 at Briant Wells Fitness Center starting at 1800. Teams must register by 6 Jan 00. For additional information call 545-1435/8608.

15. CHAPLAIN FAMILY LIFE TRAINING CENTER: The Chaplain Family Life Training Center in Soldiers' Plaza is offering caring, supportive counseling. All sessions are professional and confidential. For additional information, call the Center at 545-1760 or 545-5301.

16. FREE EDUCATION FOR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY AND THEIR DEPENDENTS: The Georgia HOPE Grant Program is now available to all active duty military and their dependents, who are stationed at Fort Benning and live in Georgia. Certificates, Diplomas and Associate Degrees are available in numerous programs. Come by our office in Bldg 2614, Soldiers' Plaza or call Mr. Quick or Mr. Howell at 685-8549 for more information. Mr. Quick will go to units to explain the HOPE Program to groups who are interested in the program for themselves or their dependents. SGMs and/or 1SGs may contact Mr. Quick to schedule an information meeting.

17. AMMUNITION SUPPLY POINT CLOSURE: The Ammunition Supply Point (ASP) will be closed for all business beginning 0800, 20 Jan, through 0800, 25 Jan. Closure is due to a quarterly 100 percent physical inventory. Only emergency issues will be processed during the inventory period. POC is Mr. Floyd, 544-6710.

18. CHATTAHOOCHEE VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE: The following course has been added to the Spring Course Schedule:

- a. Human Anatomy & Physiology I, Tues & Thu, 1800-1915
- b. Bio 201-A, Thu, 1930-2130

The cost is \$220.00 (Cost using tuition assistance \$64.00) For registration information, you may contact Ms. Smith, 291-4913.

19. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.'s BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY SCHEDULE:

a. **Yard Waste and Refuse & Recycle Collection:** There will be no yard waste picked up in Family Housing on Monday, 17 Jan. The next scheduled yard waste pick up will be on the following Monday, 24 Jan.

b. **Refuse and Recycle:** There will be no refuse or recycle pick-ups on Monday, 17 Jan. Port, Kawamura, Fernandez Streets, and Indianhead Terrace areas normally scheduled for pick-up on Monday will be picked up on Tuesday 18 Jan. Refuse and recycle collection in Family Housing for 18-21 Jan will be picked up as normally scheduled. POC is the DPW Construction Inspection Branch, 545-4232.

c. **Curbside Bulk Leaf Pickup:** Leaves may be raked to the curb on the normally scheduled day, including Monday, 17 Jan. The vacuum truck may run late in some areas, but will catch up as quickly as possible to maintain the normal schedule. POC is Mr. Trent Lingafelter, 544-3725.

d. **Self Help (U-Do-It) Center:** The Self Help Center including the Loan Equipment Section and Venetian Blind & Shade Shop will be

closed on Saturday, 15 Jan through Monday, 17 Jan. The Self Help Center will reopen for business on Tuesday, 18 Jan at 0830. For additional information call Dr. William C. Shirley, 545-1121.

20. IVY ROAD CLOSURE: Ivy Road between Marne Road and Watkins Street will be closed starting on 19 Jan at 0700 through 21 Jan

at 1700. If there are any questions concerning this closure, please call Mr. Cales, 544-3499.

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21. FORT BENNING-COLUMBUS POST OF THE SOCIETY OF AMERICAN MILITARY ENGINEERS: The Fort Benning-Columbus Post of the Society of American Military Engineers will meet on 20 Jan at the 36th Engineers Warrior Dining Facility, Bldg 2889, on 1st Infantry Bde Loop beginning at 1130 for pre-meeting lunch and socializing. The meeting will run from 1200-1300. Mr. Tom Whisnett will present a program on road stabilization.

22. MONSTER TRUCK APPEARANCE: The Monster Truck Appearance will be on 7 Jan at 1500. Join us at the Amusement Center, located next to the Wynnsong Movie Theater. Sponsored by 1-800-COLLECT. Free prizes and autographs for anyone with a valid military ID. POC is Michelle Young, 545-3328.

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